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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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: ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLN

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(Based on PCT/SE98/01975)

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FOR: RESOURCE OPTIMIZATION

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FUNCTION IN A DATA AND

TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please ~~amend~~ the above-identified
application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page ~~1~~, between prenumbered lines 2 and 5, ~~insert~~:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

prenumbered line 15, replace "PRIOR" with --BACKGROUND--.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please ~~amend~~ the claims as follows.

Claim ~~1~~, line 3, ~~delete~~ "(101)", same line, ~~delete~~ "(105)";

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